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EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

KRISSTARAH B.,

No. 2:20-CV-0188-JTR

v.

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION FOR REMAND
PURSUANT TO SENTENCE FOUR
OF 42 U.S.C. § 405(g)

ANDREW M. SAUL,
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

Defendant.

BEFORE THE COURT is the parties' stipulated motion to remand the above-captioned matter to the Commissioner for additional administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). ECF No. 16. Attorney Gary R. Penar represents Plaintiff; Special Assistant United States Attorney Thomas M. Elsberry represents Defendant. The parties have consented to proceed before a magistrate judge. ECF No. 6. After considering the file and proposed order, **IT IS ORDERED:**

1. The parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand, **ECF No. 16**, is **GRANTED**. The above-captioned case is **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** to the Commissioner of Social Security for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).

On remand, the administrative law judge (ALJ) will hold a *de novo* hearing and issue a new decision. The ALJ shall: (1) reevaluate the medical evidence of record, including records of Dr. Arnold, Dr. Bruner, and counselor Stenzel; (2) reevaluate Plaintiff's subjective allegations of limitation in light of the reevaluated medical evidence; and (3) recommence with the sequential evaluation process and,

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1 if warranted, obtain vocational expert testimony. Plaintiff may present additional
2 testimony and submit additional evidence, and the ALJ may take any further action
3 needed to complete the administrative record.

4 2. **Judgment shall be entered for PLAINTIFF.**

5 3. Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment, **ECF No. 15**, is
6 **STRICKEN AS MOOT.**

7 4. An application for attorney fees and costs may be filed by separate
8 motion.

9 The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order, forward copies
10 to counsel, and **CLOSE THE FILE.**

11 DATED April 21, 2021.

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JOHN T. RODGERS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE